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application of: Ruggero Maria Santilli

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For: NEW CHEMICAL SPECIES OF CLUSTERS

Group No.: 1714

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# REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY (37 C.F.R. § 10.40(c))

## REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO WITHDRAW

1. I, an attorney signing below, respectfully request permission to withdraw from all further responsibility in this case, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.36.

#### LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF CLIENT

The last known mailing address of the assignee of the entire interest is:

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## CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10\*

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<sup>\*</sup> Only the date of filing ( ' 1.6) will be the date used in a patent term adjustment calculation, although the date on any certificate of mailing or transmission under ' 1.8 continues to be taken into account in determining timeliness. See ' 1.703(f). Consider "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" (' 1.10) or facsimile transmission (' 1.6(d)) for the reply to be accorded the earliest possible filing date for patent term adjustment calculations.

## BASIS FOR WITHDRAWAL REQUEST

3. The basis for the request for withdrawal is 37 C.F.R. 10.40(c) § (1) and (5).

Explanation:

Recent events has made it unreasonably difficult for the practitioner to carry out the employment effectively; and applicant knowingly and freely assented to the termination of the employment relationship in a meeting between applicant and the practitioner on October 17, 2006.

#### ALLOWANCE OF TIME FOR CLIENT TO ACT

- 4. Status of this Application
- A. Final Office Action Mailed on October 19, 2006. The action was provided to applicant on October 25, 2006

## Response due:

- (i) There is an outstanding term for response that is set to expire on January 19, 2007. The above term is extendible under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), until April 19, 2007 and the fees for such extension are not being submitted herewith.
  - B. Time Left for Response

Therefore, the amount of time for response, including extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), is nearly 5.5 months.

#### NOTIFICATION OF CLIENT

5. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 10.40(a), a copy of this request, including attachments, is being sent to the client.

A copy of the letter to the client is attached.

#### NUMBER OF COPIES OF REQUEST

- 6. This request is enclosed in triplicate.
- 7. Related Applications for Which Withdrawal is Requested

Withdrawal also is (has been) requested in the following related applications of the inventor.

Group	Status of Withdrawal request
1753 3748	Sent concurrently herein Sent concurrently herein

## SIGNATURE OF WITHDRAWING PRACTITIONER

8. Signature(s) of the attorney(s) withdrawing (or signature of an authorized attorney on behalf of an attorney withdrawing)

Signature of withdrawing practitioner

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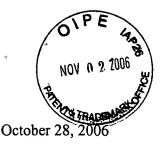
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Re: Attorney Withdrawal From Pending Patent Application Cases

Dear Dr. Santilli:

As we discussed on October 17, 2006, I have completed the withdrawal process today by filing a request for withdrawal as attorney in applications 09/826,183, 11/474,687, and 11/485,898. A copy of each request is enclosed herein.

We have already coordinated the transfer of the files.

We wish you the best in your endeavors in continuing to increase your patent portfolio by obtaining more patent protection.

Sincerely,

Dennis G. LaPointe